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BIG NAVY GUNS HOLD REDS AT BAY

Peiping Asked To Arrange Korean Parley

UN SURRENDER DEMAND HURTS SUCCESS HOPES

By MAX HARRELSON

LATE SUCCESS, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The UN cease-fire committee disclosed today that it had called directly upon Chinese Communist Foreign Minister Chou En-Lai to arrange the time and place for Korean peace talks.

The committee told Chou it was willing to meet any representative of the Peiping government at any place which would be mutually convenient. A committee member said this obviously would include Peiping.

Committee in Recess

Lester B. Pearson, Canada, a member of the three-man truce body, told the general assembly's 60-nation political committee that the group had sent a cable to Chou last Saturday asking for a meeting.

After hearing his report, the political committee adjourned to await a reply. The adjournment vote was 50 to 5 (Soviet bloc).

The cable was sent, Pearson said, after the cease-fire committee had consulted unofficially with Red China's envoy here, Gen. Wu Hsiu-Chuan, and discovered that he had no authority to negotiate peace.

Pearson said he had yet to receive a reply from Peiping.

"We want to meet you at your earliest convenience to discuss cease-fire arrangements, either here or elsewhere," the telegram said.

Pearson asked the political committee to bear with the cease-fire group a little longer while it continues its efforts.

Malik Stumps

Pearson's statement was delivered to a sober, closely attentive committee. Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Jacob A. Malik announced in his chair and heard the announcement without changing expression.

Immediately after the Pearson declaration, Sweden's Richard Sandler proposed that the political committee postpone all further business.

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Hopes Growing For Settlement Of Rail Dispute

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Hope rose today for an early settlement of the White House and hour dispute between the nation's railroads and four operating unions. The White House pressed the pace of negotiations.

The pace of negotiations was stepped up even as the effects of a strike by one group involved faded. Some 10,000 yardmen walked off their jobs for three days last week, tying up freight and Christmas mail in key rail terminals, but the jam was clearing rapidly.

Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman kept the negotiators in session until 2:45 a. m. (EST) today, and reported some progress. The union and management representatives faced each other across the bargaining table for the first time since August, when the roads were seized by the government to avert a strike.

Steelman arranged another session this afternoon.

The yardmen for the most part went back to work, although about 100 notified three railroads in Toledo they were too sick to report. One union official said their action was a "wildcat" strike. Members of the same Brotherhood of Railroad Yardmen had returned to work in other cities under pressure from President Truman, federal courts and union officials.

The postoffice department threw thousands of additional workers into the fight to break the mail jam. It said it hopes all Yule packages will be delivered in time despite what appears to be the biggest flow of holiday mail in history.

Democrats Count On Public Sympathy To Rally Support For Dean Acheson

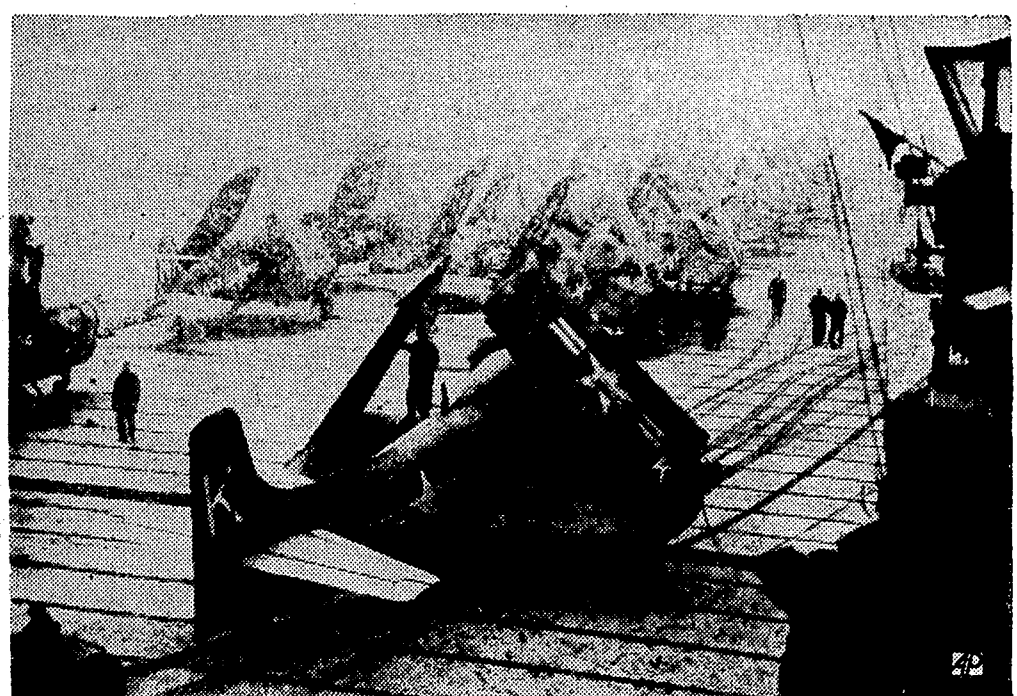
BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Democratic leaders counted on public American sympathy for the underdog in attempts to rally support for Secretary of State Acheson in the face of formal GOP demands for his ouster.

Two influential Democratic Senators who didn't want to be quoted by name told reporters they think public reaction to the Republican stand may help solidify support for Acheson.

Truman Reported Admiring

One high administration authority who asked not to be named said President Truman is "absolutely determined" to stick by the mail jam. It said it hopes all Yule packages will be delivered in time despite what appears to be the biggest flow of holiday mail in history.



SNOWSTORM STOPS ACTION ON CARRIER—A blinding snowstorm in Korean waters halts flight operations aboard the Aircraft Carrier Leyte. The planes are already loaded with bombs, rockets and 20mm projectiles and were again in action a short time after the storm ended. (US Navy photo via AP Photo).

Voluntary Pay-Price Curbs Now Suggested

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—A request that business and workers voluntarily freeze all prices and wages shaped up today as the government's probably next move in fighting inflation fanned by mounting defense spending.

Officials who asked not to be named said such a step was contemplated within a few days by Alan Valentine, head of the economic stabilization authority (ESA).

Date Not Specified

As they outlined it, the request would be that business, unions and the public adhere voluntarily to the prices and wages which existed on Dec. 1 or some other recent date.

But further compulsory price controls appeared to be in the making, following up the rollback on new car prices which Valentine ordered over the weekend.

Meat industry officials were called in today to discuss prices, leading to speculation that ceilings may be clamped shortly on beef, veal and lamb. Those three meats are the most expensive.

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5 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

GENERAL MOTORS FREEZES SALES OF THREE CAR LINES UNTIL PRICE RULING FIXED

DETROIT, Dec. 18.—(AP)—General Motors Corporation today ordered Chevrolet, Pontiac and Cadillac dealers to halt sale of 1951 model cars received from the factory today or hereafter. It said the government's price rollback order of Saturday was responsible.

The economic stabilization agency ordered prices of all automobiles rolled back to Dec. 1 levels. GM, Chrysler, Ford and Nash had announced higher price tags for new models since that date.

Other Makers Silent

There was no immediate indication whether the other affected car manufacturers might halt sale of their cars too, pending review of the government price order.

GM told dealers any Pontiacs, Chevrolets or Cadillacs received on or after today will remain on a basis and not be sold until released by the corporation.

The GM order said the action taken "pending an examination of the discriminatory order of the economic stabilization agency affecting passenger car prices, including the possible effect of this order on wages."

General Motors already has introduced 1951 model Chevrolets and Pontiacs, and originally announced they would carry price tags around 5 per cent higher than 1950 models. The 1951 Cadillacs have not been introduced but GM had said prices would be upped.

The federal price order of Saturday, however, required that auto firms withdraw price increases made after Dec. 1.

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17 Draftees Get Unexpected Leave

Seventeen registrants of the Navarro County Selective Service Board, including 15 who were to be inducted Friday, Dec. 29, have been granted unexpected Christmas leave.

The above-mentioned selectees who had been ordered to report for induction Dec. 29 now will be inducted Jan. 12. Twenty-two are to be called up on the January date.

However, 15 Navarro county youths will leave Corsicana for Dallas Dec. 29 for physical examinations.

The local board has two physical examinations calls for January. Thirty-three are to be given physicals Jan. 22, and another 33 Jan. 23.

Local office Monday said Freddie Miller, 305 West Twelfth, one of the group who left for induction Dec. 14, had been rejected by the armed forces.

'Far From Ready', Pace Warns Pact

By CARTER DAVIDSON

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 18.—(AP)—U. S. Army Secretary Frank Pace warned the North Atlantic Alliance today they are far from ready to withstand a Communist assault on Western Europe.

Opening a two-day meeting of Atlantic defense and foreign ministers gathered to complete plans for unified European army, Pace told the defense chiefs the U. S. will aid its partners' defense efforts only if it is "fully convinced" each nation is doing all it can to help itself.

U. S. Moves Cited

Pace is representing U. S. Defense Secretary George C. Marshall at the meetings. He said: "The American people already have stepped up their preparedness and plan for even greater sacrifices in the next year. x x x In the U. S. all our efforts are now being geared to expedite the organization of our military forces and the production of munitions."

He said he knows with an appreciation of the urgency of the situation and the need for speed in your own efforts," he told the ministers.

The first joint session of the foreign and defense ministers opened at 4:30 p. m. (9:30 a. m. CST) to take decisions which Chairman Paul Van Zeeland of Belgium said "may have a vital effect on the future of the free world."

No Disagreements

The defense ministers' session was adjourned an hour and a half later. A conference official said the morning meeting went smoothly and without disagreement.

Pace said after 14 months of meetings the Atlantic Alliance now shows some real progress in strengthening our military and economic position to withstand a Communist assault on Western Europe, but we are far from ready even now.

"We must now speed up our efforts and translate our plans as we see them," he said.

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Police Working Around Clock To Capture Killer

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Working around the clock, scores of policemen today hunted "a maniac on the loose" in the residential Oak Lane section of the city.

The manhunt—described as the greatest in Philadelphia's history—was begun late Saturday night after a 28-year-old housewife slain by a mysterious gunman police believe responsible for six other shootings in the area.

One police officer said "there's no doubt there's a maniac on the loose."

He admitted police had few clues to go on but said "we'll stay on the job until we get him."

The high school teacher and mother of two small children, was killed by a bullet fired through closed venetian blinds of a kitchen while she was washing dishes.

The two youth told police they saw a dark coupe speed away in the direction of the house where Mrs. Cohen was shot.

America's Fastest Jet Fighter Plane Victor Over Russian Mig-15 In Fight

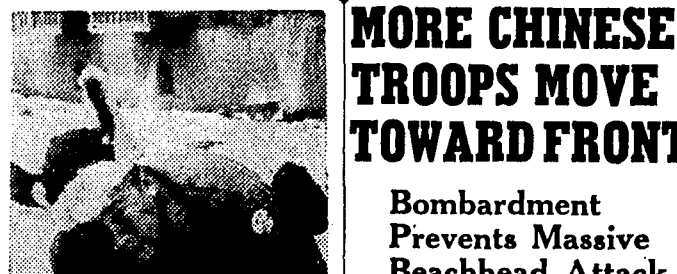
By WILLIAM C. BARNARD

AN ADVANCE U. S. AIR BASE IN KOREA, Dec. 18.—(AP)—America's fastest jet fighter plane, in its first combat, sent a Russian-made Mig-15 jet spinning arthward in flames and smoke Sunday.

Four North American F-86 Sabres scored a clean victory in a five-minute aerial dogfight with four Soviet-type Mig-15s 10 miles south of Sinuiju, in Northwest Korea.

Other Reds Flee

The other three Red planes fled across the Manchurian border.



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"Things are going just the way we planned them," he said. "Now every time the Chinese Communists dig in, we hit them with artillery concentrations, mix them up and knock them out. That's something we have been unable to do before."

At no point on the port's defense area had the Chinese been able to punch through. Observers said the Reds apparently had not sent the tanks into the snow-mantled hills west and northwest of Hungnam. Shattered Hamburg, industrial city six miles northwest of Hungnam, was abandoned to the Reds Saturday.

Free Insurance Voted Members Of Armed Services

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—A bill giving each member of the armed services a \$10,000 free life insurance policy was passed by the house today without a dissenting vote.

The measure now goes to the senate. It would make the insurance retroactive to June 27 to cover those who have died in the Korean war.

The legislation also is phrased so that the 33 Pennsylvania National Guardsmen killed in a rain wreck in Ohio Sept. 11 while en route to their training camp would be considered as insured. Their survivors would receive the insurance benefits.

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Christmas Dinner Early In Hungnam

HUNGNAM BEACHHEAD, IN NORTH KOREA, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Seventh division GI's ate their Christmas turkey Sunday. The situation on this tiny beachhead was too chaotic to chance waiting for the right day. This was their premature Christmas.

Instead of ringing church bells, Naval shells screamed overhead. Burning buildings were their Yule log. Presents yielded space to more urgent cargo on incoming ships and planes.

And in the nearby snow-mantled hills, Chinese Communists crouched with rifles cradled in arms—waiting to attack the fireworks and bit of earth that knows neither peace nor good will in the 1950 Christmas season.

Fire Hazards Of Fireworks Noted By City Officers

At this time of the year firemen begin to worry about grass and other fires set by exploding fireworks.

Fire Chief Howard Blivins pointed out that the danger of fires this year is greater than ever due to extremely dry conditions.

Sparks Dangerous

"Just a spark is all that's needed to set a real blaze," he said. "The city has an ordinance which prohibits the shooting of fireworks in the city which is as follows: 'It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to discharge or fire skyrockets, firecrackers or any species of fireworks whatever within the corporate city limits of this city.'"

The fine for such an offense, according to the charter, is not less than \$2 nor more than \$25.

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MORE CHINESE TROOPS MOVE TOWARD FRONT

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BY OLEN W. CLEMENTS

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Five Persons Injured When Auto Overturns

Five persons were injured, one of them critically, when an automobile overturned early Sunday in the city limits of Wortham.

The vehicle carried eight passengers, all negroes, the highway patrol reported. Three escaped injury, including the driver, Edward Hall of Corsicana.

A tire blow out caused the accident.

Most seriously injured was Jesse Ray Fowler of 710 East Park. He suffered a skull fracture. His condition Monday, however, was described by P. and S. Hospital attaches as "fair."

Others injured were:

Gettrude Maize, 19, of Alma.

Samuel Holt, Corsicana.

Verda Hall and Annell Johnson, both of 1001 East Tenth.

These four suffered minor cuts and bruises and were not hospitalized.

The accident occurred on Texas Highway 14 in Wortham.

Brotherhood To Meet At Frost

A Christmas program will feature the monthly Baptist Brotherhood session in Frost Tuesday night.

The program as announced Monday by Roy Bristow, program vice president, will be in three parts as follows:

1. The Christmas Story—Everett Whittenburg Memorial church.

2. The Effect of Christ's Birth upon the World at the Time of His Birth—L. O. Taylor, Emmanuel church.

3. The effect of Christ's Birth upon the World Today—John Griffith, First Baptist church.

T. S. Patrick, president, will preside.

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Soil Conservation District News

Frank Wilson, whose farm is one mile east of Corsicana, has constructed a farm pond. In constructing this farm pond approximately 1300 cubic yards of dirt was moved with a bulldozer.

W. C. Ray, Emhouse Conservation group, has rebuilt 2.5 miles of terraces and constructed 0.8 mile of new terraces. The work was done with a whirlwind terracer.

Dude Ransom, whose farm is 5 miles north of Corsicana, has constructed 3000 feet of diversion terraces to protect two bottomland fields of approximately 90 acres.

The terraces were constructed with a maintainer.

J. P. McKinney, whose farm is five miles northwest of Corsicana, has planted 240 acres of peas, 40 acres of Button clover and 5 acres of Reseeding Crimson clover. 200 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate was added per acre. The seed was planted with a drill.

C. E. Phillips, Corbet Conservation group, has planted 30 acres of vetch and 15 acres of peas for a cover crop and to add soil fertility. The seed was inoculated and 200 pounds of phosphate was added per acre.

JET PLANES

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Story of Battle.

The 31-year old, six-foot Hinton told this story of the battle:

"The boys and myself had planned to lay a little trap for the enemy by flying at a very low air speed. So we flew very slowly around the area for 10 or 15 minutes. We were at 25,000 feet when we spotted them at 18,000 feet, flying level or slightly climbing and going very fast.

"As we dove in to the attack we kept our battle formation a good offensive formation. We headed down on them. They started a hard turn to the right and as we closed in on them we started a harder turn to the right and turned inside of them. We got right in behind them.

"It was then that they let go their wing tanks and shoved on the coal. We dropped our tanks too and we poured on the coal. We eased up on them although they were going like hell. I picked out a target plane. And I closed in gradually on him. When I in gradually on him. When I was in range I let go with a burst.

"I could see the tracer bullets hitting him. They damaged him. I could tell because he wiggled a bit in the air. I continued firing. The guy started burning and smoking very badly.

"The smoke decreased and a bunch of flame came out of him and he slowed down. He appeared to go out of control.

"By that time I was within 600 or 700 feet of him. As he went down I had my air brakes on, but he was going too slow for me to follow. The last time I saw he was out of control and on his way down."

Lt. Paul W. Bryce, Jr., of (226 Lawrence St.) Lawrenceburg, Tenn., another member of the flight, was the last to see the stricken enemy plane. He said:

"The fellow was about 3,000 feet and was spinning down, definitely out of control. I am sure he never was able to pull out of that spin."

Other members of the flight were: Capt. Morris B. Pitts of (7328 So. Third Ave.) Birmingham, Ala., and Capt. Raymond Janacek of (63 Parker Ave.) Passaic, N. J.

The F-86s had flown two missions prior to their aerial battle. The first was on the day they arrived—

Negro Wounded In Shooting Affray

John Ollie Powell, 24-year old negro, was shot and seriously wounded in an altercation at the Rhythm Grove night club here early Sunday.

Charged Monday with attempted murder was William Sims, 36, who told officers he acted in self-defense.

About 30 minutes after the shooting which occurred at 5 a. m., Sims gave himself up at the county jail.

Constable Joe Allen and Deputy Sheriff Dick Salter, who investigated, reported that Powell and Sims had been involved in an argument Saturday night. A second altercation resulted in the shooting.

In an oral statement to authorities, Sims said Powell "was coming at me with a knife."

The negro was taken to a Calhoun ambulance to the P. and S. Hospital, where his condition Monday was described as "better."

A .38 calibre bullet entered his left side just above the heart, it was reported.

Attempted murder charges were filed against Sims before Justice of the Peace W. H. Johnson, who set bond at \$1,000.

Dec. 15. That day they encountered no enemy. On Dec. 16 a snow storm held the fighters to this field.

On Dec. 17 they flew a bomber mission, accompanying B-29s to the Kanggye area but encountered no enemy planes and only light flak.

On the afternoon of Dec. 17 they went out, as one of the pilots said, "to wait and look for MIGs."

Performs Victory Roll

When Hinton performed his victory roll waiting Air Force men on the ground jubilantly jumped and began to shout: "He got one! He downed a MIG!"

Hinton's wife and two children live in Washington, D. C., at 5509 Parkland Court Southeast, Apartment 202. Hinton has been in the Air Force 11 years. During World War II he was stationed in the Canal Zone. He was on his 12th combat mission in Korea when he got the MIG.

Hinton said:

"I was sure hoping to get a MIG. Matter of fact I told the boys just before I took off to get a red star ready to put on my plane."

Among the fliers who came to Korea with Meyer and flew with him on the first combat mission were: Capt. Elmer L. Wingo, whose wife lives at 611 N. 10th St., Waco, Texas.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

AIR STRATEGY

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here Vandenberg diplomatically referred to "X nation" as the aggressor. He continued:

"The reason the Air Force does not believe that the war can be won solely by the Navy or solely by the Air Force or solely by the Army is this:

"Let us take, for example X country which has overwhelming ground forces. We do not put the ground forces in the field, but we put in a tremendous strategic Air Force. Let us take X country that is relatively poor in its manufacturing capacity. Let us say that the Air Force succeeds in knocking out its potential to fight a war. The Army of this X country is at least smart enough to know that air potential exists and, as every Army does, it stockpiles behind its lines long enough for a certain period of time. We knock out the entire supporting industry of that Army.

"It picks up its stockpile and it moves into a country that has a better and more modern facility for producing war material than the country we have destroyed and that Army imposes its civilization upon the overrun country. Obviously, the Air Force then cannot have succeeded in its task of preventing this new country from being able to fight a war.

"On the other hand, let us suppose that this movement (by X's) ground forces are going to oppose is such that a smaller number of ground forces are going to oppose this great mass X army. The reason we want a number of ground forces opposing this great mass of X army is to force them, before they can overrun the attacked country, to expend their gasoline, their food, their ammunition, x x x.

"They are not able to have them replaced by X country whose industry has been knocked out by strategic air attacks, retarding the advance to the point that X army runs out of these essentials before it can superimpose itself on the industry of the captured country."

"That is the theory of the air-ground-naval team. You put the blockade (Naval) in. The Army goes in and causes them to expend these stockpiles, and the Air Force knocks out the industrial potential of X country to supply these armies, x x x.

"Now, these over-enthusiastic air

W. E. Edmundson Funeral Sunday

Funeral services for W. E. Edmundson, 68, of Rice, killed Friday afternoon when a power saw foundation became loosened, causing the blade to strike him in the chest, were held Sunday at 3 p. m. from the Haynie Memorial Methodist church in Rice.

The rites were conducted by Rev. Robert Fling, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church of Ennis, of which Edmundson was a member and deacon. Burial was in the Rice cemetery.

Mrs. Edmundson discovered the body of her husband when she returned from a shopping trip to Rice. They reside about one mile from Rice. Edmundson was sawing firewood at the time of the accident. The saw was driven by a tractor.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Nerle Edmundson, Rice; two sons, Rufus Burl Edmundson, Abilene, and Noel Wright Edmundson, Columbus, Tex.; three sisters, Mrs. H. C. Bartlett, Rice; Mrs. Frances Donaldson, Kamp, and Mrs. May Long, Sulphur Springs; mother-in-law, Mrs. R. M. Langham, Rice, and other relatives. One son, William Ernest Edmundson, died in infancy.

Palbearers were J. K. Bradley, W. C. Mahaley, S. B. South, A. R. Jackson, John R. Clark and A. C. Harvey.

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MOBILIZATION

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among the relatively few farm products now selling at prices higher than the ceilings which may be imposed under the economic controls law.

There were indications, however, that these talks would be largely exploratory. ESA still has little more than a token staff, and there are so many producers in the meat industry that price ceilings would be relatively difficult to enforce.

Wilson Taking Over

Meanwhile, Charles E. Wilson prepared to take over as the overall boss of the nation's mobilization against possible new Communist aggression. Wilson is resigning as president of the General Electric Co. to direct the new agency.

President Truman established the office of defense mobilization on Saturday shortly after issuing a formal declaration of national emergency. The declaration carried with it authority to do such things as lengthen work hours under government contracts, requisition ships and waive competitive bids on defense contracts.

As head of the new ODM, Wilson will be answerable only to Truman and will have full authority over civilian agencies already at work building up the nation's military might.

The voluntary freeze on prices and wages which Valentine was reported studying would remain in effect only until March. By that time, ESA experts to be ready to administer compulsory price controls, either on a selective basis or on the whole economy.

A violation of the proposed request would carry no penalty. But

Truman said in his Friday night speech that any violations of the "fair standards" he said ESA will controls and price rollbacks where they are justified.

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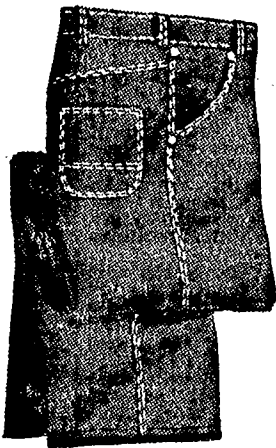
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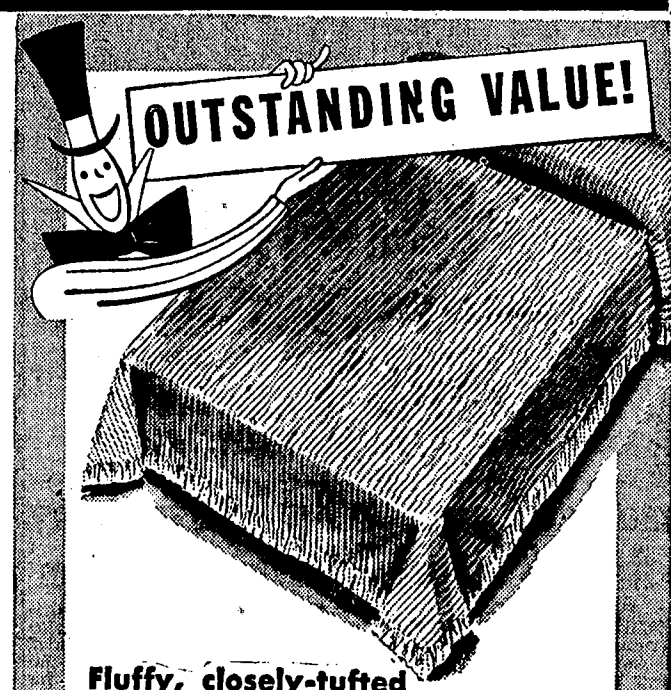
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Methodist Youth Meeting At Kerens

The Christmas sub-district meeting of the Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church will meet with the Kerens Methodist Church tonight at 7:30 with the young people of First Church, Corsicana, giving the worship program. Orrie Harris, president of the organization, will preside at the business session. There will be a Christmas tree and presents of canned goods will be received for the Methodist Home in Waco.

First Church young people will leave from the educational building at 6:45 o'clock.

At the Sunday night meeting of the MYF some 35 young people from the State Home were guests with W. B. Waddell giving the story, "The Other Wise Man."

The pastor, Dr. Chet Henson, preached at the morning hour from the subject, "The Star That Never Sets." The annual offering for the Methodist home was made and two united with the church.

The choir under direction of John L. Gravelle sang special Christmas numbers.

Flowers were furnished by the L. W. Carsons.

At the vespers hour, the annual Christmas musical and pageant was presented.

The pastor announced the All-Family Christmas tree for Thursday night and urged a large attendance on next Sunday morning. There will be no night service next Sunday, Mrs. E. E. Barkhart was the speaker in the adult department.

Large Crowds At Missionary Baptist Services Sunday

Large crowds attended both services at the Missionary Baptist church Sunday. The pastor's subject at the morning hour was "God Forbid That I Should Glory, Save in the Cross of Jesus Christ and Him Crucified."

There were 271 in Sunday school and 133 in Baptist Training Course.

The evening hour sermon was entitled "Prepare to Meet Thy God, O Israel." The church is giving a love offering this year to show love for the pastor and family, it was announced.

A report from messengers who attended the organization meeting of Missionary Baptist Association of Texas at Longview last week was given at the evening service.

It was announced that the association was invited to Corsicana for the annual meeting next November, and an acceptance was given.

No Sunday night service (Christmas Eve) will be held because the pastor and family plan to visit relatives in Arkansas during the holiday season, following the morning service.

Choir practice will be Monday 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting is Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Teachers study will not be held.

Visitors are welcome to the Missionary Baptist church services.

Mrs. W.A. Hubbard Funeral Sunday

Mrs. W. A. Hubbard, 73, died at her home in Italy Sunday.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p. m. from the First Methodist church at Italy. Burial was in the Italy cemetery.

The rites were conducted by Rev. E. C. Gargill and Rev. Bond Johnson, both of Italy.

Mrs. Hubbard formerly resided in the Mertens community. Surviving are two sons, W. L. Hubbard, Houston, and C. G. Hubbard, San Antonio; three daughters, Mrs. L. H. Littlejohn, Irene, Mrs. W. Phillips, W. Pettit, and Mrs. R. H. Price, Italy; 13 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter and other relatives.

Corley directed.

First Christian Cantata Sunday

A large crowd attended the Christmas Cantata given at the First Christian church Sunday at 5:30 p. m.

The Cantata was the "Star of Bethlehem" by Adams.

C. E. Seene was director of the program.

Soloists included Choir Director Beene, Harold Blankinship, Miss Margaret Jackson, and Mrs. Travis Knight. A special solo was given by Mrs. Wesley Edens, Jr., and Mrs. Hylan Davis.

The Sunday school Christmas tree for the church will be given Wednesday night, according to Rev. Herbert G. Dudley, pastor.

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Corporation Court

Officers Frank Chapman and Powell arrested one person for being intoxicated.

Officers Frank Chapman and Powell arrested two negroes for vagrancy and two negroes for associating with common prostitutes in a rooming house on East Ninth avenue.

Ten motorists paid fines for parking violations and officers tagged 25 vehicles for the same offenses. Eighteen of the tagged vehicles carried Navarro county registrations.

Officer Frank Chapman arrested one person for being intoxicated. Officer Kelly arrested a motorist for running a stop sign and for not having an operator's license.

Officers Wiswell and Steele arrested a white man and a negro for being intoxicated.

Officer A. E. Chapman investigated an accident in the 200 block of South Beaton street where vehicle driven by F. P. Howlett, F. Y. Roundtree and Mrs. B. B. Baker collided. No one was injured.

Officer Barnes found door open at E. B. Harris cabinet shop and notified the owner.

Officer Higginbotham found the back door open at F. C. Stewart garage but was unable to contact owner.

Officers Steele and Wiswell discovered Cooley grocery, 1318 East Seventh avenue, entered. The officers said a window had been broken. The owner told the officers a small amount of cash was missing.

Officer Blair and Kelly arrested one person for being intoxicated. Officers Frank Chapman and Pickering picked up a mental patient who later was released to a relative.

Officer Kelly arrested a motorist for driving a vehicle with a defective muffler.

Officer Kelly arrested a motorist for driving a vehicle without a tail light.

Officer Kelly arrested a motorist for making an illegal left turn.

Officer Onstott arrested a motorist for reckless driving.

Officer Onstott arrested a motorist for not having an operator's license.

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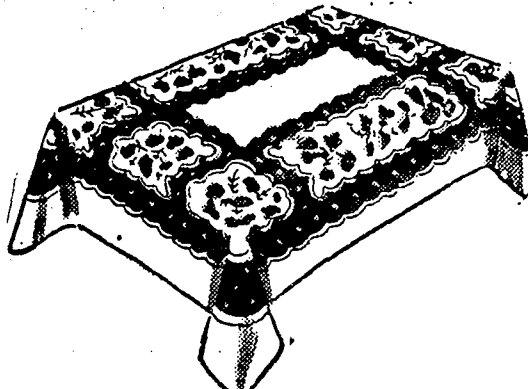


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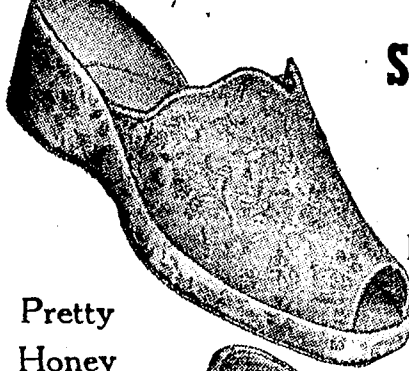
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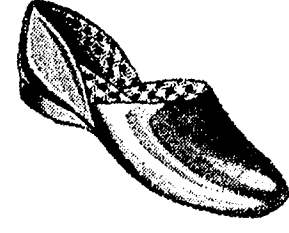
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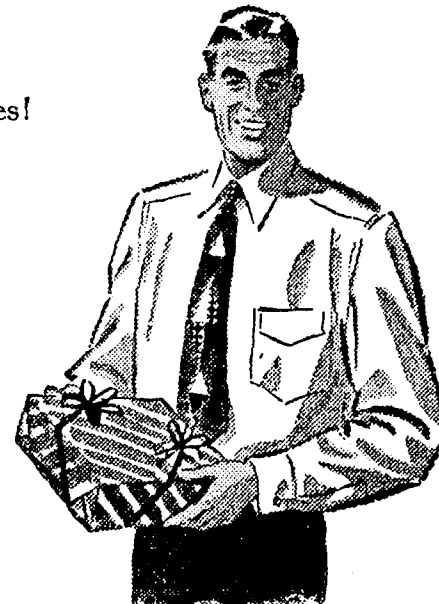


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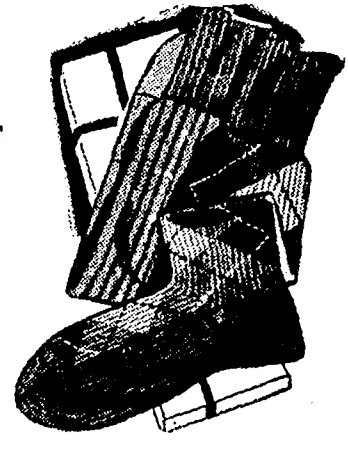
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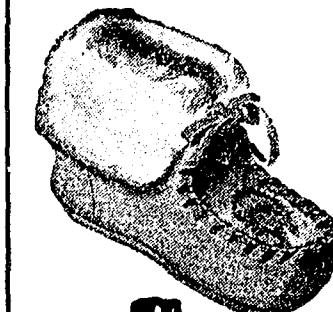
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ANGLO-AMERICAN PURPOSE

There has been much disappointment among those who hoped for some ringing and inspiring declaration from the meeting of President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee. There was not much in the White House statement from which the citizen could get a new picture of our plans for the cold war, or even some assurance that the national leaders have a clear path marked out and are proceeding along it with confidence.

The people are left to hope that the conversations produced more concrete results than were disclosed. If there is still hope of avoiding the third great world war, then much difficult negotiating lies ahead for our two nations and the others associated with us in the effort to avert war and at the same time salvage freedom. When you have to bargain with a shrewd and hard trader, you do not ordinarily preface the bargaining with a public statement of the terms for which you are willing to settle, or of the strategy you plan to employ. Americans like to know what is going on; at the same time we have been objecting very loudly to leakage of our secrets to Russia. We can't have our cake and eat it.

If the heads of our two nations have reached a real understanding, that in itself may be as important as the specific points of agreement. One of the greatest dangers of the world situation has been that the powers which have a common ultimate goal of world peace would become divided among themselves over lesser matters. If we can maintain common purpose with the British, our hand and theirs will be greatly strengthened in what we attempt to do.

YUGOSLAV VIEWPOINT

The Yugoslavs are learning every day. First they discovered that the Russians were trying to absorb them, and they managed to break away. Now the Chinese Communists attack on Korea has disillusioned them further. Previously they had maintained that one Communist state could not and would not attack another. It must be so, for Karl Marx himself had said so. Korea proved the contrary, and led them to reconsider the Russian seizure of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, in the 1939 pact with Hitler, and the annexation of Eastern Poland.

Putting all these together, they have concluded that while Russia might be Communist in theory, in practice it is Fascist, and that so far from eschewing force it has made force the keystone of its foreign policy. This view has been advanced by Mlovan Dylas, a Yugoslav official, in a series of articles in Boerba, the organ of the Yugoslav Communists. He says that today's struggle is not between Communism and capitalism, but between capitalism and the Soviet type

of Fascist state capitalism. From this it follows that, since there is no theoretical distinction between the two sides, Yugoslav should support what it considers the less dangerous.

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER

Some unsentimental individuals with an extremely gloomy viewpoint claim that with the world in such a state Christmas should be treated this year solely as a religious anniversary, and that gifts, gaiety and decorations should be foregone. Those who look below the surface of things, however, do not share this view. Now, more than ever, we must cherish our close personal relationships.

The spiritual significance of Christmas draws those who celebrate it closer together. But let us not discount the value, spiritual and otherwise, of gifts symbolizing loving thought, of the joys of fellowship around a festive table, of Christmas trees with lights and decorations, nor of the season's happy, informal hospitality. The children need not be deprived of this traditional holiday background. It will join the rest of their store of happy memories to be brought out and lived over in future years.

Those who have no children near and dear to them have the opportunity to build memories for children who otherwise would not be gay this year.

No darkened corner of the world would be one whit lighter if we should darken ours to match it. "God rest ye merry, gentlemen!"

COMPROMISE OR WAR

Is a compromise of principles and material aims better than war? This is a historic question, and it has a historic reply which is not an answer. If the compromise really averts war, it is almost always better. If war is merely postponed, the compromise may make things worse—may prolong unprofitably the period of tension before war, make the war more destructive by enabling both sides to be better prepared, and lose forever the principles which were compromised.

No one has ever devised a way to discover in advance whether a compromise will avert a threatened war or merely defer it. The disastrous November setback in Korea created for us a clear and inescapable choice between compromise with the Peiping government and total war against it. The commitment of major Chinese Communist armies destroyed any possibility of achieving victory in Korea with limited action.

It would be hard to imagine anything more distasteful to most Americans than a deal with the Chinese Reds. Moreover the chances of profit for us in such a deal appear slim indeed. But the choice is not for America alone, unless we are prepared to wage war alone. The

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Once more they turn on me in hate. I want their love and long have sought it. But once again I failed to wait. I saw a tie I liked and bought it.

choice is for the United Nations, which was born of compromise and must live by it. The United Nations could also die of compromise. In seeking a negotiated solution for the Korean situation, the utmost effort needs to be directed toward finding one which will not mortally weaken the United Nations. Success or failure on that point may determine whether the big war is avoided or only delayed.

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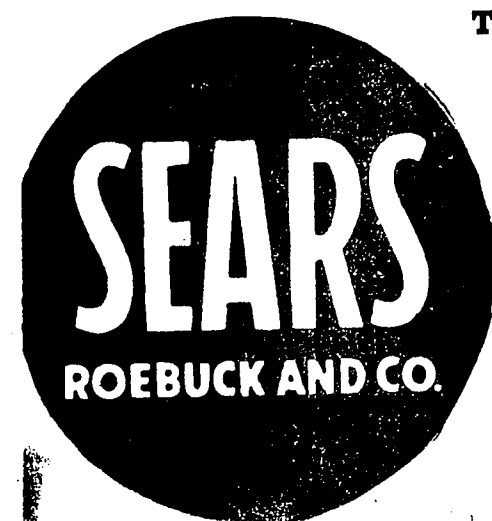
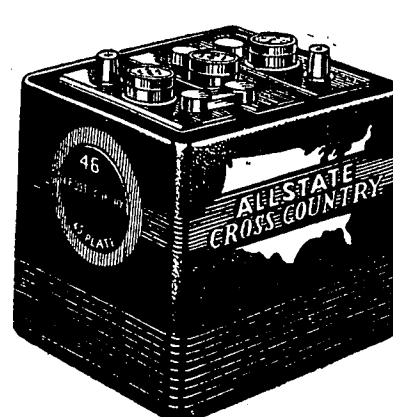
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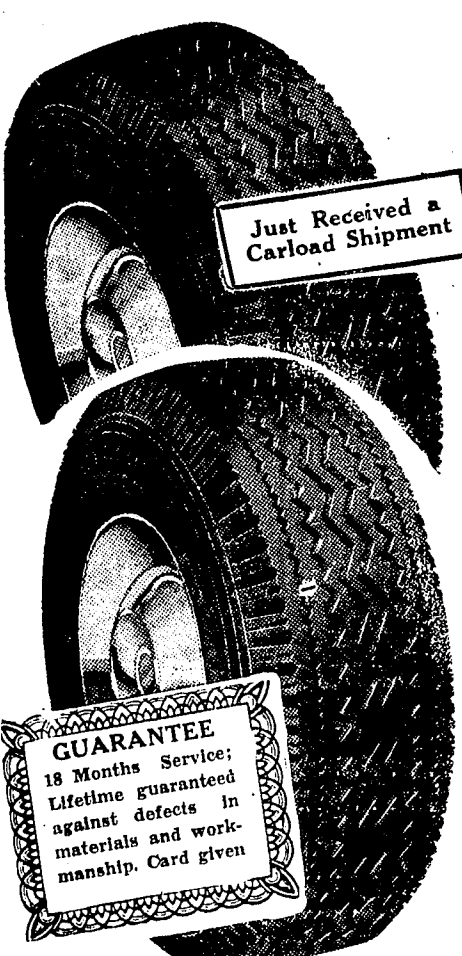
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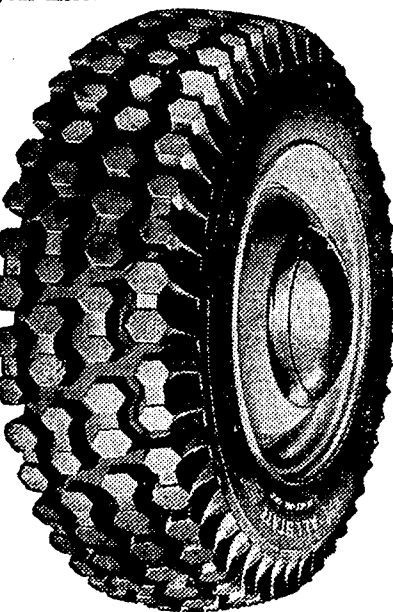


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Teen-age royalty held sway at Corsicana High School Friday evening at 8 o'clock when Miss Peggy Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tucker, was crowned Queen of the Whole High School by Duane Nutt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nutt.

Feminine loveliness was combined with youthful gallantry to make the thirty-first coronation ceremony a gala event in the social annals of Corsicana. Sparkling and sed lined formal, designed especially for the annual occasion, exquisite memory-making gowns and distinctively smart frocks in the holiday mood fashioned a panoramic procession of rainbow hues as class representatives proceeded to the stage to become members of the royal family of Corsicana High School.

Against a neutral backdrop, enlivened with matching baskets of golden chrysanthemums and gilded foliage, the coronation ceremony stood out in bold relief as a striking symbol of youth and beauty on parade.

Entertainment Program.

As an entertainment feature, a thirty-one piece Band Ensemble under the direction of Herbert Lewis Hill contributed the following selections: "Hosts of Freedom" by K. L. King, "Plaza Roll Blues" by K. L. King, "Baked a Cake" by K. L. King, "El Gaucho" by Mesang, "Chattanooga Shoe Shine Boy" by Hal Leonard, "Rain, Medley" by Paul Yoder, "Time Out For a Jam Session" by James E. Handlon. Heartily applause followed each number.

Personnel of the Band Ensemble was as follows: Mary Nell Davis, Louise Warner, Ray Atkins, Walter Parker, Jr., Billy Younger, Melba Summerall and Doris Stewart. FLUTE: Pat Steele, TROMBONES: J. L. Coffey, Preston Ingram and Nell Wood. DRUMS: Ray Hagler, Christine Myers and Patsy Pugh; ALTO SAX: Jerry Bruton and Carroll Montgomery; TENOR SAX: Fred Coffey.

FRENCH HORNS: Suzette McKinney, Charles Ray Phillips, BARTITONES: Madge Worsham; BARTITONES: Aaron Pike, CORNETS: R. C. Reader, Jr., John Mann, Jackie Thompson, Allen Kowalski, Jimmie Ingram and Glenn Wilcox; BASS: Roy McDonald.

Novelty numbers, presented as a prelude to the coronation ceremony, featured ballet, tap and toe dancing, acrobatic and singing diversifications as follows:

Revue: "A Toi", Percy Elliott; Ballet: Faye McMullan, Paula Jean Kinslow; Tap: Paula Jean Kinslow.

"Frenchy" and "Can-Can" Dance: Barbara Defee, Carolyn Vandegriff, Patricia Richards, Jane Callaway, Patsy Duncan, Goldie Hill, Billie Jean Adams, Faye McMullan, Gloria Bruce, Patsy Boaz, Jo Ann Rice, Jan Parrish, Zoe Ann Callaway. Accompanist: Mrs. Gertrude Thompson.

"Beach Ball Bounce" Sue Alexander, Mary Alice Daniels, Virginia Dill, Jeanie Dixon, Betty Lou Grady, Margaret Louise Johnston, Peggy Long, Mary Miles, Mary Miles, Janice Pope, Phyllis Starks, Carol Thompson, Adeline Westbrook, Mary Ann Worthy.

"Life Guard" Truman Tindell; "The Beauty of the Sea" Mrs. John Remonte, Accompanist.

"Acrobatics" Betty Pair "Toe Dance" Mrs. H. Hardgrave, Accompanist.

Proceeding the coronation rites, trumpet fanfares by the court heralds, Cyrus Long and Kenneth Long, inaugurated the royal procession during which members of the entourage were announced, and presented to an audience of capacity proportions.

Miss Boyd Payne's interpretation of stirring coronation music, members of the court marched to the stage in couples, proceeded to the throne, curtsied to the King, and took their places in the line of the stage to await the arrival of the Queen.

Sophomore Class. Dukes and duchesses of the Sophomore Class were the first to enter the royal procession.

Miss Jo Ann McAfee, escorted by Donald Nicholson, wore a formal fashioned with strapless bodice of gold brocade, and a trailing taffeta. The top of the bodice was outlined with beige net ruffles and a stole of the same material added an effective touch. Gold brocade sandals matched the bodice and upper section of the skirt, and gold and rhinestone jewelry accessorized the gown. Miss McAfee carried deep red roses set in gold pins and showered with gold satin ribbons.

The King, princes and dukes wore traditional tuxedos. Miss Jeanice Walker, who entered with Hugh King, wore a gown of two shades of pink, net for her coronation dress. Over a leaf green taffeta slip, the full skirt was designed of layers of pink, green and gray net. The bodice was outlined with a narrow band of pink and gray net in the same shades as the skirt, with a drop-shoulder line of soft puffs of the chosen shades of net. A diagonal line of iridescent sequin butterflies in blue, green and gray net cascaded gracefully from shoulder to hemline. She wore green satin slippers, carried an arm bouquet of pink roses tied with harmonizing satin ribbons, and accented her ensemble with a cluster of pink roses.

Horizon blue net over matching taffeta fashioned the model worn by Miss Wanda Curry, whose escort was Bruce Hennen. Tiny gold net ruffles outlined the shoulder straps, and outlined the top of the bodice and upper portion of the bouffant skirt, both of which were fashioned of silver tulle and edged with a wide white satin ribbon. The bodice was edged with a wide white satin ribbon, and the skirt was edged with a wide white satin ribbon.

Miss Aline Green, princess of the junior class, entered with Kenneth Stegall, prince of the junior class. She was attired in a gown of yellow net over matching taffeta. Sequin-encrusted ruffles of yellow net outlined the sweetheart neckline and fashioned shoulder-strap for the bodice. Double skirts of yellow net overlaid the circular skirt of yellow taffeta, with the top skirt terminating in five ruffles of yellow net, edged with a wide white satin ribbon. The skirt was edged with a wide white satin ribbon.

Miss Jane Norvell, with Leslie Kelsie as escort, wore a gown of yellow net over blue taffeta. The strapless bodice was accented with a ruffle of sequin-sprinkled net, silver sequin dots and a wide white satin ribbon. The skirt was edged with a wide white satin ribbon.

The herald announced the arrival of representatives of the junior class. Miss Ethel McNeill, escorted by Kay Russell, carried a gown of brown and green net over gold taffeta, in which the blending of the three colors provided an iridescent effect. The fitted bodice of gold tulle was scalloped at the waist-



CORSICANA HIGH SCHOOL QUEEN PEGGY TUCKER

bodice and embellished the tiny shirred sleeves. The voluminous bouffant skirt of a lighter hue of fuchsia taffeta shimmered through three layers of fuchsia net. The net overskirt was edged with a wide white satin ribbon, and the bodice was edged with a wide white satin ribbon. The skirt was edged with a wide white satin ribbon.

As a grand climax to the royal procession, the Queen of the Corsicana High School was heralded into the auditorium amid a fanfare of trumpets. The King remained standing until the Queen reached the throne and was crowned.

Miss Tucker made a graceful entrance and proceeded down the aisle to the accompaniment of fanfare of the Corsicana high school football team, which got under way at 7 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 19, in the cafeteria at the high school here.

A few tickets still remain to be sold to the Civilian-sponsored event. They may be secured from M. H. Statham, ticket chairman, or other members of the Civic Club.

Harry Shufford, a Southern Methodist student player of years past, will be the featured speaker at the occasion. Other program highlights have been arranged.

Head Coach Boyd Payne will introduce the members of his squad, the 1950 football team, and the present prospects for the 1951 football team at Corsicana high school.

Falsies Harmful Survey Indicates HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Falsies may add an up-to-date figure to the 1950 letterman's survey, a consulting psychologist revealed today.

Upon completion of a survey of 1,257 women, all walks of life, who use bust pads to improve their figures, Dr. Mason Rose declared: "What is attained through the illusion of perfect form by wearing falsies is a false sense of security, a feeling of confidence, and a sense of self-worth."

The investigation, which Dr. Rose said parallels one recently conducted by the United States Bureau of Standards, was for a brassiere manufacturer.

WAVE Recruiter Here On Friday Miss Christine Fletcher, SKC, USNR (WV), formerly of Ft. Worth, stationed now in Dallas as the Wave recruiting officer in this area, was in Corsicana Friday.

She recently was recalled to active duty from her civilian status as a secretary in an attorney's office.

The U. S. Navy is also offering men with 1-A and 2-A draft classification, who are college graduates, permission to apply for a commission in the Naval Reserve on active duty.

Edgar Wareing Rites Saturday Funeral services for Edgar T. Wareing, 74, life-long Corsicana resident, who died at the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic Thursday afternoon, were held Saturday at 10:30 a. m. from the Westminster Presbyterian church.

The rites were conducted by Dr. Matthew H. Arnold, pastor of the church, of which Wareing had been an officer for more than 50 years. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

Officers of the church were pallbearers. Wareing was a member of the Wareing Brothers Grocery store firm from 1896 to 1920, and then for years was connected with the Bank Sutherland furniture and funeral business firms. He retired a number of years ago.

He was a long-time member of Corsicana Lodge No. 63, IOOF. Surviving are his wife of Corsicana, four sons, John Wareing, Fort Worth; A. W. Wareing, Corsicana; Leslie Wareing, Crockett; and Edgar Wareing, Lufkin; two grandchildren and a sister, Miss Ethel Wareing, Manitou, Colo. Griffin directed.

Tina Haslam Will Fly To Venezuela Miss Tina Haslam, grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Haslam of this city, who is now a student at the University of Miami, Coral Gables, Fla., will leave by plane on December 21st for a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haslam and her sister, Ruby Cobb, in Caracas, Venezuela. She will return in time to attend the Orange Bowl game on New Year's Day.

Miss Haslam is a junior, majoring in Journalism in Latin-American Countries. She recently pledged Chi Omega sorority.

J. V. Carpenter Dies At McAllen J. Vance Carpenter died at his home in McAllen Friday morning. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Starling Carpenter of the Westbrook community.

Funeral services will be held in McAllen Sunday afternoon. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Melba Carpenter, McAllen; two brothers, Anna Carpenter, Kerens; Z. T. Banks, Corsicana; two sisters, Miss Mina J. Banks, Kerens, and Mrs. S. A. West, Powell, and other relatives.

Postmaster Asks Early Mailing Christmas greetings for out-of-town delivery should be posted not later than tonight, G. C. (Jake) Hudson, postmaster, stressed in a statement today as he pointed out that Christmas mailings handled at the local post office this year appear headed for an all-time high.

Out-of-town greetings mailed after tonight should use air mail or special delivery stamps. Local Christmas cards should be mailed at least a week before the holiday.

White's Chapel HD Club Enjoys Christmas Meet

White's Chapel Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon at the Community Center for a covered dish luncheon, a Christmas program and tree.

Names were drawn to determine next year's pairing of club friends. Mrs. R. P. Garrett's topic was "The Christmas World," which followed the opening ritual, the Lord's Prayer.

The membership sang "Silent Night" and other seasonal music, and Mrs. Olive Green gave the Christmas story from Luke.

A reading, "The Herd Boy of Bethlehem," was given by Mrs. Earl Beeman, and three-year-old Carl David McGraw of Blooming Grove sang "Jingle Bells." His mother, Mrs. Carl McGraw, sang "Blue Christmas" and "Winter Wonderland."

Mrs. Morris Pike read "The Night Before Christmas in Texas" and Mrs. J. C. Johnson read, "Don't Forget That Gun."

Visitors were Mrs. Andrew Thompson of Drane, Misses J. W. Seelig, McGraw, Joe Dunton, J. H. Dunton, D. B. Bennett, Gertrude Dryman, Kenneth Green; Miss Flossie Gill and R. P. Garrett.

At the Christmas tree, club friends for the past year were revealed. Cedar, luster balls and other ornaments were used in decorating for the occasion. Red candles and cedar adorned the luncheon tables.

The next meeting will be January 11 when Mrs. Garrett will be hostess. The club will meet at the Community Center.

Mildred WMU Plans Lotti Moon, Christmas Event

The WMU of Mildred Baptist church will sponsor a Lotti Moon Christmas program, the church Wednesday evening, December 20th, at 7:30 o'clock, with the president, Mrs. John Hagler, in charge of the event.

With the pastor of the church, the Rev. Bill Perdue, as leader, and Mrs. Enos Hutson at the piano, the singing of Christmas carols will open the program.

Each class of the Sunday school will be featured on the program. R. M. Martin is superintendent of the school.

Miss Lotti Moon will attend the meeting in the person of Mrs. C. R. Brasher and will receive a cash offering from each class. The goal is \$25, officials have announced.

Presentation of Gifts. The gifts will be presented as follows: Beginners, Nellie Jo Shepard; Novice, Shelia Easley; Juniors, Patricia Brewer; Intermediates, Beneva Brewer; the Kent class, Mrs. Lee Brasher; the Martin class, Mrs. John Whitton; the men's class, Enos Hutson.

All class representatives participating in the ceremony will be given a gift. They will carry the offerings and lighted candles and proceed to the church platform to present their gifts to Mrs. Brasher (the Lotti Moon of the evening), who will also be robed in white.

The candles will be lighted by Mrs. Lee Buck and Mrs. Hagler. The gifts will be given by the Lotti Moon Christmas offering.

All ladies of the church are requested to bring home-made canned goods, Santa Claus is expected to be present and distribute gifts to everyone from the entire community is invited to attend. The church will be Wednesday, December 20th, at 7:30 p. m., sponsors have announced.

County WMA Holds Meeting

Mrs. T. T. Wyrick presided at the meeting of the Navarro County Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Missionary Baptist Church Tuesday at the Trinity church.

Assembly singing was led by the Rev. T. R. Vaughn, and prayer was given by Mrs. O. L. McCollum of Fritch.

In the business session Mrs. W. P. Staggs of Corsicana was elected assistant reporter.

Various churches of the county organization took part in morning and afternoon discussions of "God's Peculiar People."

The Rev. E. J. Glynn, Dallas, delivered the morning message based on the II Kings 4:3-6 and the text "Borrow Not and Repay Not."

Luncheon was served at the T. P. and L. luncheon by the WMA of the host church.

The afternoon devotional message was brought by the Rev. O. L. McCollum.

The offering went to foreign and interstate missions.

The Fairview church with the greatest number of members attending won the banner for the day.

The next meeting in March will be held at the Missionary Baptist church of Corsicana.

The Rev. W. F. Lovelady, pastor of the Corsicana church, offered the prayer of dismissal.



BETROTHAL REVEALED—Mr. and Mrs. Norris W. Lovett have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jane, to John Vernon Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miers Johnson of Carlsbad, N. M. Miss Lovett is a graduate of Corsicana High School and Ward-Belmont in Nashville, Tenn., and is now a student at the Parsons School of Design in New York City. Mr. Johnson is a graduate of New Mexico Military Institute at Carlsbad, and is now a student at Princeton University in Princeton, N. J. The wedding will take place at mid-term in January.

Corsicana-Waco Meet September 21; Dallas-Houston Teams On Schedule

Corsicana and Waco football teams will continue their annual "Battle of the Bengals" in 1951, despite a reorganization of the state schoolboy districts, was announced Saturday.

Coch Boyd Payne announced that he had completed arrangements for a game with the Waco Tigers in Waco on Sept. 21.

Complete State. Simultaneously, Payne revealed the completion of his non-conference slate for next year. It contains games with four teams in the AAAA classification, and one game with a AAA team.

Thus the Tigers have a 10-game schedule, with October 5 remaining open for a week's rest.

On the Corsicana non-conference schedule are games with Adamson and Forest of Dallas, Waco, San Jacinto of Houston and Henderson. The San Jacinto game will mark the first meeting of Corsicana with a Houston team since Boyd Payne's tenure here as head coach. Henderson is the only AAA team on the Corsicana schedule.

"It's a good schedule," Payne said, "and it will give the spectators something interesting to see. We'll have a young team next year, but we'll win our share of the games, and we'll be interesting to watch even if we lose."

Travel will be a major consideration next year, what with Corsicana's district members being located so far apart, and this may make it necessary for the team to spend the night at some of their game sites, necessitating additional expense, Payne said. The travel distance also may affect the play of the boys, Payne was of the opinion.

Absent from the 1951 Tiger schedule are games with Paris and Greenville, both of which have been on the schedule for the past few years. Also absent is Grand Prairie, which played Corsicana in 1950 and with which the coaches have had hopes of arranging a series of long standing. District commitments and full schedules that made conflict were the factors in precluding those teams, Payne said.

The 1951 schedule:

Sept. 14—Corsicana at Adamson (Dallas).
Sept. 21—Corsicana at Waco.
Sept. 28—San Jacinto (Houston) at Corsicana.
Oct. 5—Open date.
Oct. 12—Forest (Dallas) at Corsicana.
Oct. 19—Corsicana at Henderson.
Oct. 26—Temple at Corsicana.
Nov. 2—Lufkin at Corsicana.
Nov. 9—Bryan at Corsicana.
Nov. 16—Corsicana at Nacogdoches.
Nov. 22—Corsicana at Pecos.
Conference game.
Afternoon conference game.

Quantity Of Liquor Seized

Approximately six cases of whiskey, wine and beer were seized by officers Saturday morning in a raid on East First avenue.

Sheriff David Castles reported the alcoholic beverages including about four cases of wine, were confiscated at a private residence. A white woman was released on her own cognizance until Monday morning, Castles said.

Liquor Control Board Inspector R. T. Ebel and Deputy Sheriff Salter and R. E. Jones staged the raid.

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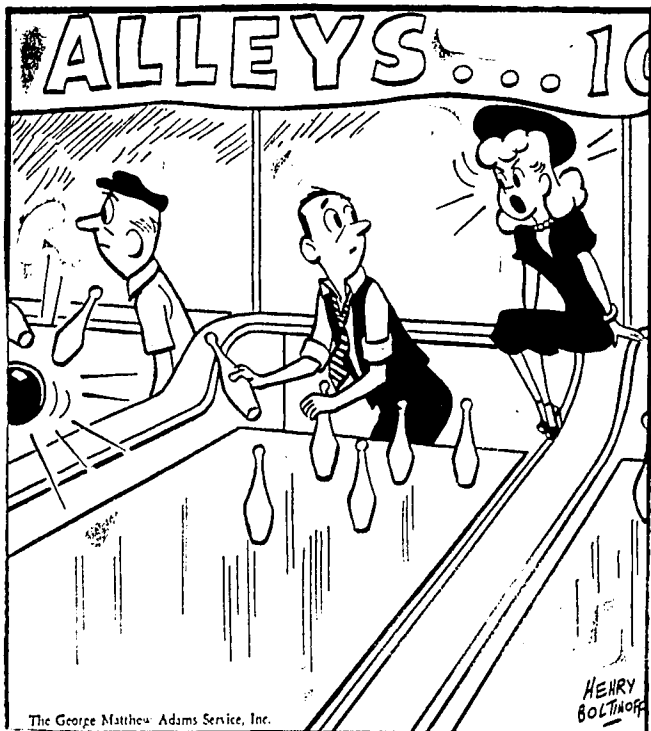
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2. Timidly shy
3. Accessory seed
4. Garden
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6. Bo. Inducted
7. Mother of Troy
8. Ireland
9. Character in "The Faerie Queen"
10. Greek hero
11. Arabian
12. Stratagem
13. Unit of work
14. Tipping
15. Eccentric
16. Rotating piece

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Solution Friday's Puzzle

DOWN
1. Mineral deposit
2. Swiss river
3. X-ray picture
4. Look after
5. Parts of shoes
6. Possess
7. Animal a year
8. Word of lamentation
9. Refusal
10. Mountain in Crete
11. Loose
12. Auditory organ
13. American
14. Indian
15. Heroine of "Lohengrin"
16. Craved
17. Negrito
18. Sandarac tree
19. Ship's officer
20. Detail
21. Skinning
22. American humorist
23. Part of a play
24. Wife of Zeus
25. Biblical country
26. Oriental nurse
27. Draw together
28. Egyptian solar disk
29. Fashion
30. Slender final
31. Late comb. form



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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Farm Talk—

Navarro County Youths To Exhibit 30 Beef Calves At Houston's Fair

By CLYDE E. JOHNSON
Daily Sun Staff.

Navarro county youths will exhibit 30 beef calves at the Houston Fair.

About 20 4-H and FFA youngsters will take their steers to the show, leaving here probably on Jan. 27, reports Curtis Henderson, assistant county agent.

Among the group will be two Navarro county boys who won calves in the 1950 Fat Stock Show's scramble contest. They are Bill Barnes, of Route 1, Barry, and Leonard Ray Harper of Elkhorn. They will exhibit their 1950 Hereford scramble steers at the show next month.

The boys will be competing in the steer show, where \$2,745 in cash awards will be made. Special scramble prizes will total about \$4,000, the Houston show's publicity department has announced.

FFA Aids Needy.

Corsicana's Future Farmer chapter opened a campaign Monday to help the needy enjoy Christmas. Chapter members will repair toys, pick up clothing, food and books, and distribute them to the underprivileged.

Persons wishing to donate any of this material were asked to call 46 or 305-2R during the day, or 550-W4 at night. FFA boys will pick up the goods after 3 p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Gifts also may be brought to the vocational agriculture building at Corsicana high school at any time during the day, Instructor Jim Cummings reports.

Fair Premiums Lower.

Premiums paid at this year's Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural Show totaled \$400.43 less than those for the 1949 fair, the association reports.

An annual profit and loss statement shows premiums in 1949 were \$5,338.25 compared with \$4,937.82 this year.

Increased premiums were noted in the Hereford, dairy, vocational agriculture, art, negro and 4-H Home Demonstration exhibits.

Holiday Safety.

A safe and sane holiday season could save your life. It is the citizens' responsibility—particularly in the home, on the farm and highway.

DENTAL COLLEGE GRADUATE

James Randall Haywood of Streetman is one of the 62 graduates of the Baylor Dental College in Dallas who receive their diplomas Monday night at 8 o'clock.

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Golden Glove Boxing Workouts Begin Here Today

Corsicana representatives in the annual Golden Gloves amateur boxing matches are to begin their training today at the YMCA here. Tommy D. Mann will be in charge of the training of the young boxers. A featherweight with a lot of boxing experience behind him, Mann can offer expert training to young aspirants.

All those interested in Golden Gloves competition are asked to be present at one of the sessions this week. The workouts at the local YMCA will be held from 3 until 4:30 o'clock each afternoon except Sunday.

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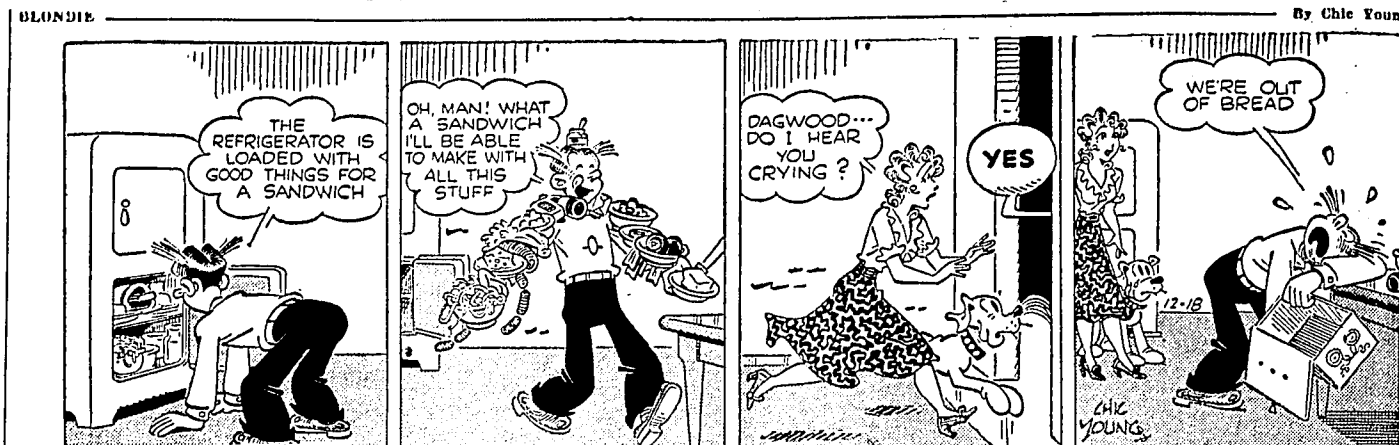
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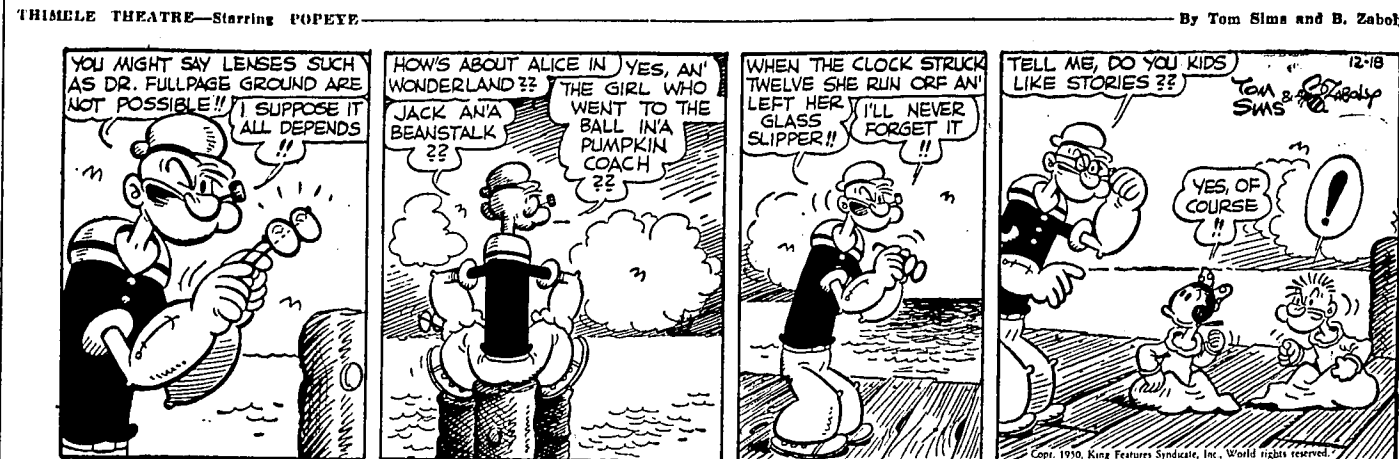
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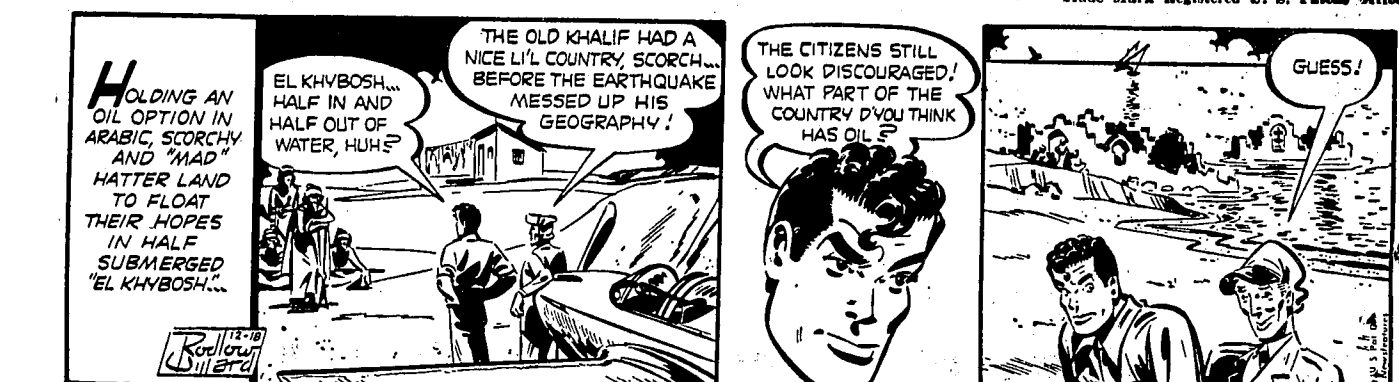
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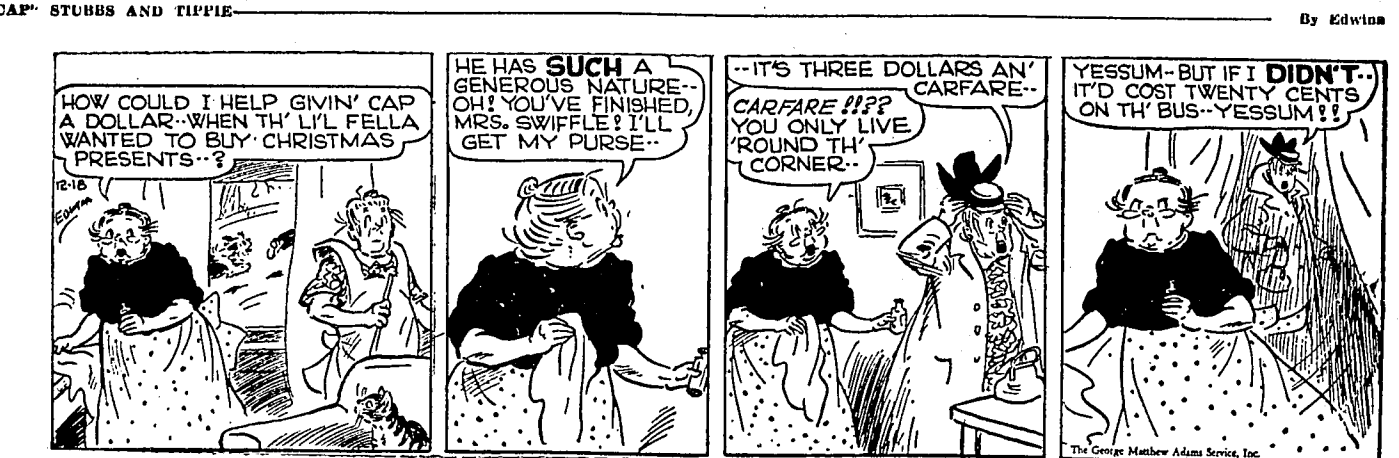
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Navarro Ousted From Ranger Meet Saturday Night

The Navarro Junior College Bulldogs won one game and lost two in their two-day stand at the Ranger invitational cage tourney last Friday and Saturday.

In their opening game Friday night, Navarro lost to Howard County, 51-40. The Howard crew went on to defeat Lon Morris Junior College and win the tournament title.

In consolation play Saturday afternoon, Navarro downed Decatur, 55-42. In the final game Saturday night, Navarro lost to Lon Morris Bears, 66-37.

Counting those three games Navarro will have played six games within the space of six days, for Coach Ken Clark has arranged games for the Bulldogs tonight, Tuesday night and Wednesday night.

Tuesday night the Bulldogs go to Clinton for a return game, after downing that crew, 71-33 here last week. Tonight Navarro goes to Decatur for another non-conference game.

Wednesday night, Dec. 20, Navarro is host here to Temple Junior College.

Tex. Garland, Navarro guard, was named on the Ranger-all-tourney team, Clark said.

Benefit Program Set For Wortham

WORTHAM, Dec. 18.—(Spd)—Mrs. Walter McDaniel of Richland, teacher of speech at Wortham, will present her pupils in "Christmas Eve With Mother Goose" at the Wortham high school auditorium, Tuesday, Dec. 19 at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Charles Hunter of Richland, will be pianist for the program. Mrs. George D. Stubbs, special teacher for the Freestone County schools, will tell a Christmas story. The entire program will be woven around a story concerning the coming of Christmas Eve to the children in the Mother Goose story book world, children who had forgotten the real meaning of the Christmas and had to be reminded of it by a lady who had been lost in the woods, who was guided to the land of the children by the lights from the window of the great red shoe where lived the "Old lady who had so many children she didn't know what to do."

The program will also be a benefit affair, sponsored by the libraries of the Wortham schools.

Blaze Damages Santa's Dignity

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Dec. 18.—(AP)—A Santa Claus paused at the Stockholm Central railway station today to light up his pipe. Santa's beard burst into flames. Passersby ducked Santa's head in a water fountain and put out the blaze. He suffered no injury except to his dignity.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

Market Report

Grain and Provisions

Fort Worth Cash Grain
FORTH WORTH, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard 2.50-2.61 3/4. No. 2 white 2.51-2.54. No. 2 yellow 2.50-2.55 per 100 lbs.

Chicago Cash Grain
CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Cash wheat: No. 1 hard 2.48-2.50. No. 2 white 2.49-2.51. No. 2 yellow 2.48-2.50. No. 1 extra heavy white 2.51-2.52.

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Bus Occupants Escape Death In Mountain Mishap

GRAND FORK, B. C., Dec. 18.—(AP)—A crowded bus rolled 400 feet down a mountainside nine miles west of here Sunday, overturned several times and came to rest in a creek bed.

None of the 40 to 50 occupants was killed and only five required hospitalization. The bus was demolished.

Police said only the crowded condition of the bus prevented a possible tragedy. Had there been fewer passengers, the occupants would have taken a violent beating during the wild downhill ride.

The bus, operated by Western Canada Greyhound Lines, was en route from Vancouver to Calgary, Alta. Its capacity load was made up primarily of University of British Columbia students homeward bound for the holidays.

Grand Forks is located in the Kootenay mountains near the U. S. Canada border about 200 miles east of Vancouver.

Barn Destroyed By Fire Monday

A large barn and a considerable amount of hay, owned by J. E. Devant, Jr., was destroyed by fire early Monday.

Firemen said they received a call on the blaze at 12:05 a. m. The barn is located outside the city limits on the Roane road.

Other flames answered by the department over the week-end included the following:

Saturday—Grass fire, 702 South Fourteenth street, 4 p. m.

Sunday—Grass fire, 1900 block West Thirteenth avenue, 10:15 a. m.; grass fire, 400 block West Fifth avenue, 12:40 p. m.

Monday—Wall fire from gas heater at Corsicana. Poultry and Eggs Co., 301 North Commerce street, 12:45 a. m.

Fireworks

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The sale of fireworks would be allowed in the city from Dec. 19 through Dec. 24, but that no fireworks were to be discharged in the city.

Police Chief Bruce Nutt said his department would enforce the "no shooting" order in the fire zone.

He added, as in the past, we'll answer complaints from the residential areas.

Mayor Hubert T. Braselton said: "It is not the intention of myself nor the city commission to deprive our children and citizens of any fun connected with the holiday season."

"However, we hope that all those who shoot fireworks will use discretion and common sense."

"We don't want anything set on fire, and if those with fireworks will consider their neighbors and rest hours, and not shoot fireworks at unreasonable hours, we shouldn't have any trouble."

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Westinghouse Plant To Paris

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—(AP)—A manufacturing plant will be built in Paris, Texas, by the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Rep. Patman (D-Tex.) said today.

He gave reporters these additional details: The plant will produce lamps. It will employ between 400 and 500 people and have an annual payroll of approximately \$2,000,000.

Construction is expected to start soon on a 194-acre tract near Paris, Texas, between the Texas and Pacific railroad tracks and U. S. Highway No. 271. (No cost estimate available). The plant will have 75,000 square feet of floor space.

Patman said Paris was chosen for the plant because of the availability of electric power and natural gas.

Car

Thomas Found Not Guilty In 'Numbers' Case

By CLYDE JOHNSON
Daily Sun Staff

Aubrey A. (Jack) Thomas had his fingers crossed right Thursday.

Deliberating nearly five hours, a Navarro district court jury freed him of "numbers racket" charges.

Other Trials Passed

Three other men face trial under identical indictments, alleging they kept and exhibited for the purpose of gambling a "policy game." Their cases were passed until the January term.

Thomas had steadfastly maintained his innocence, declaring from the witness stand that he had no connection with the well-organized racket—except to play the game and purchase tickets on drawings.

"I've got my fingers crossed," Thomas remarked after the jury began its deliberations at 2:05 p. m. Thursday. They filed back into the courtroom at 4:55 p. m. when District Clerk J. C. Gaston read the verdict:

"We, the jury, find the defendant not guilty."

State Charge Denied

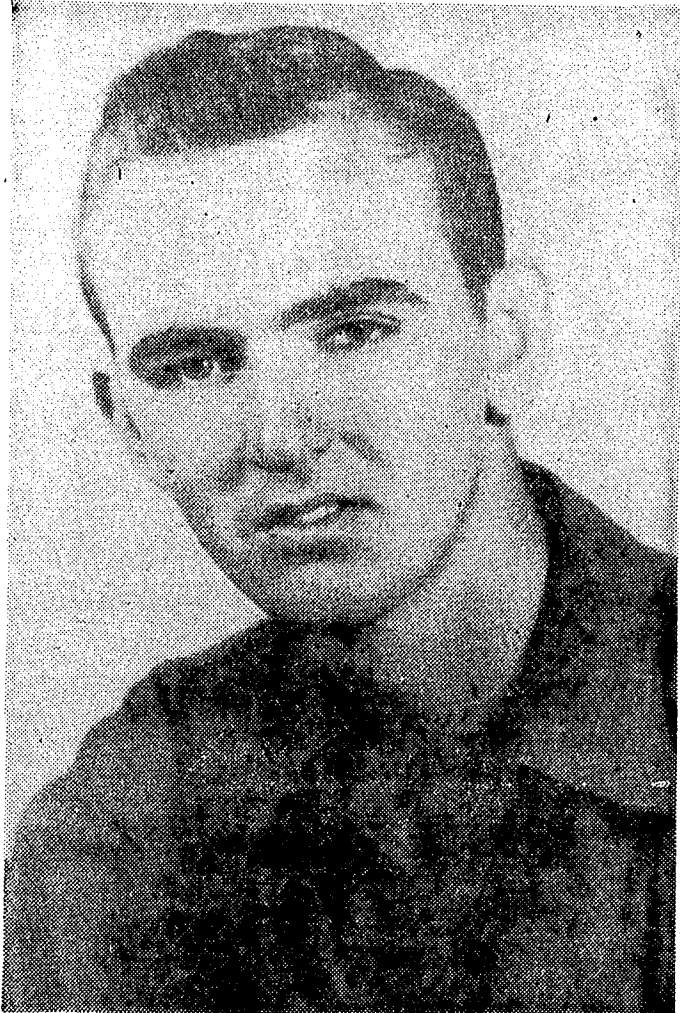
Thomas and his Dallas lawyer, Maurv Hughes, assisted by Doyle Pevhouse, relied solely on the defendant's testimony and a denial of the state's charges. None of the prosecution witnesses could testify that Thomas kept and exhibited the game, operated from a private residence on east highway 31 at the edge of Corsicana. Some, however, had said "kept books."

A raid on the numbers headquarters the night of Oct. 18 resulted in seizure of policy game equipment and arrest of Thomas, a 44-year-old carpenter. The three others arrested and facing trial are S. L. (Rags) Burnett, J. R. (Red) Derden, and Samuel Hooker, a negro salesman for the policy game.

Arguments in the Thomas case began at 10:45 a. m. Thursday. District Judge A. P. Mays read the charge about noon. After a jury deadlock of more than an hour, Bailiff Walter Hayes ordered the men their lunch; and deliberations resumed until the verdict was reached shortly before 5 p. m.

Members of the jury were C. W. Brance, foreman; L. Stegall, G. S. Feden, J. L. McCollum, James R. Warrington, F. H. Warfield, J. F. McClain, H. E. Wade, A. S. Jamison, Joe Munaz, R. W. Shelby and O. E. Williams.

County Attorney Charles T. Banister and Special Prosecutor Bow-



IN KOREA—Pvt. Bonham M. Burleson, son of Mrs. Ellene Burleson of this city, is in Korea serving with the 2nd Division. He attended the Corsicana high school and was living in Hobbs, N. M., when recalled to active duty October 26. His wife, Fama Ray Burleson is now residing in Kansas City, Mo.

len Bond used nine witnesses, including three policy game salesmen, one player, and five law enforcement officers who staged the numbers racket raid.

Thailand Arrival Is Announced Here

The Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Fogg of Bangkok, Thailand, have announced the arrival of a son, Stephen William, on December 14th, weighing nine and one-half pounds.

Judy and Denny, five and two years old, respectively, are extending a warm welcome to the new arrival.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Parker of San Antonio, and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Balcom of this city.

The Rev. and Mrs. Fogg are serving as missionaries of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.

Water Supply At Low Level; Not Serious

Lack of rainfall has caused the city's water supply to sink to a low level but City Engineer Fred V. Blucher said the situation was not serious, as yet, nor as bad as during the dry period last summer.

Blucher pointed out the Chambers Creek-Lake Halbert auxiliary line has been of great use and that about 45 million gallons of water were pumped from the creek to the lake during the 45 days it was able to operate.

"No rainfall in the 88 miles of drainage area into Chambers Creek has resulted in little or no water in the creek lately," Blucher added.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.—Phone your want ads to 163

Ellis Countians Defeat Tigers By 35-32 Decision

The Waxahachie Indians nosed Corsicana's Tigers out of first-place contention in the Waxahachie Invitational basketball tournament Thursday night, 35-32.

Corsicana goes back to Waxahachie Saturday night to play Cleburne's quintet for third place in the meet, at 7 o'clock. Waxahachie and Sunset of Dallas battle it out for first and second place following that game.

Coch Otis Pederson's Tigers led the Indians throughout three quarters, despite the fact that Duane Nutt, first string Tiger guard, did not play because of a mild attack of influenza. Nutt is expected to be back in uniform for the Saturday night tiff with Cleburne.

Corley Hot

David Corley led the Corsicana attack, tallying 15 points, but the Corsicana game was found wanting in shots from far out. Cravens, Bailey and Stegall, usually good for their share of points, and the going tough against the Ellis countians and could score but three points between them. Stack tallied 6, and Tubbeville and Galt four each.

McClellon led the Wax attack with 15 points.

The Tigers led at the end of the first quarter, 8-6, and widened it out to 16-8 in the second period, but Waxahachie tied the count up at 20-20 at the end of the first half.

The Tigers retained a small lead throughout the third period, and up until the last three minutes, when the Indians tied the count up at 30-30, then moved ahead to stay until game-end.

Corsicana continued to turn in good performances from the foul lines, hitting 8 of 14 attempts during the game. The long shots from the field were the ones found wanting.

Corsicana—	G	T	F	P
Corley	5	5	1	15
Cravens	1	0	0	2
Bailey	0	0	1	0
Stegall	0	1	3	1
Stack	2	2	2	6
Tubbeville	2	0	2	4
Galt	2	0	2	4
	12	8	11	32

Waxahachie—	G	T	F	P
Craig	3	2	3	8
Fuller	1	0	0	2
Campanelli	1	0	2	2
Gibson	2	2	4	6
McClellon	6	3	1	15
Hooper	0	1	0	1
	13	9	10	35

Courthouse News

District Court

Mary Celesta Pearson Carson s. Merrill Carson, divorce granted.

District Clerk's Office.

Ollie Mae Smith vs. Nolan Smith, divorce.

Lillian Burns vs. Texas Employers' Insurance Co., motion to set aside award of Industrial Accident Board.

Housing Authority of Corsicana vs. R. D. Lindsey et al, condemnation.

Rillar Allen vs. Hnery Allen, divorce.

Justice Court.

Judge J. W. Sheppard fined a speeder.

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Judge W. H. Johnson fined two speeders and sent one liquor law violation case to county court.

Judge J. W. Sheppard fined three speeders and two men for intoxication.

Probate Court

The will of the late A. J. Deskin of Kerens was admitted to probate Monday morning in orders granted by Joe D. Huffstutler, county judge.

Marriage License.

Jerrell Owens and Frances Allred. Russell Albritton Purifoy, Jr., and Bill Jones.

James Alfred Gamble and Bertha Lee Freeman.

Roy H. Dunn and Eda Dunne. Jack Wesley McElroy and Leota Pearl McKey.

Jimmie Albert Payne and Nora Jo Rutledge.

Sheriff's Office.

An altercation at Rhythm Grove (negro) night club was investigated by the sheriff's department Friday night.

Willie White was stabbed with a knife in the right arm by a negro. White was treated at P. and S. Hospital and released.

No charges were placed against the negro, as White did not desire to prosecute, Deputy Dick Salter reported.

Three persons were jailed for drunkenness Sunday, Sheriff David Castles reported.

Two young men charged with violation of the Dyer Act in connection with theft of an auto in Omaha, Neb., were taken to Dallas for arraignment before the U. S. Commissioner Monday.

County Attorney's Office

A theft by larceny complaint and a complaint charging attempted murder were accepted by the county attorney's office Monday morning.

Warranty Deeds.

B. C. Taylor et al to Mrs. Jennett Adams Taylor, 85 acres in E. P. Baker survey, \$10.

M. D. Cox et al to Mrs. Elizabeth Rischer, lot in block 454 1-2 B, \$10 and other considerations.

Miss Oleta Mooneyhan to S. J. Davis et ux, lot 1 in block 5 of Exall Heights addition, \$3,750.

Mrs. Jennett Adams Taylor to Jackson L. Taylor et ux, 95 acres in E. P. Baker survey, \$2,000 and other considerations.

Mrs. Ave Gaston to Eleahue Mitchell et ux, log 8 in block 11 of College Hill addition, \$250.

Alex Robinson et ux to Mrs. Helen Christen and Mrs. Christine Riddle, 2.492 acres in Robertson County School Land survey, \$10.

Charles W. Lockhart et ux to Alex Robinson et ux, lot 7 in block 509, \$10.

E. J. Hightower et ux to J. J. Sheppard, part of block 2, Robinson Addition, Frost, \$10 and other considerations.

E. J. Hightower et ux to J. J. Sheppard, lots 1, 2, 11 and 12, in block 2 Robinson Addition, Frost, \$4,000.

Max Brusteln et ux to Elmer Bradford ea ux, lot 7 in block 509, \$5.

Sarah Coleman et al to Aubrey J. Moye, lot 6 in block 186, \$1,000.

Club News

MILDRED HD CLUB

The Mildred Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. J. M. Harvard Wednesday afternoon for its annual Christmas party.

Taking part in the program were Karen Collier, John Paul Collier, Mary Ann Fouty and Mrs. Houston Kent and a playlet was offered by Mrs. W. G. Owens, Mrs. S. B. Parks, Mrs. Reece Jones, Mrs. Bob Benefield and Mrs. Ruth Paschal. Gifts were exchanged and games were played, and the hostess then served refreshments to thirteen regular members and the following visitors: Mrs. Howard Collier, Mrs. Houston Kent, Mrs. Lee Buck and a number of children.

The club meets next on January 10 at the Providence school with Mrs. Reece Jones as hostess.

Rice 4-H Club

The Rice 4-H Club met Dec. 14, with Curtis Henderson, assistant Navarro County Agricultural Agent, in attendance.

An instructional period on various types of grasses was held, and the members present named 22 varieties of grasses.

A new member, Raymond Wilson, was admitted to the club.

Rice 4-H Club

The Rice 4-H Club met December 14 at the Rice high school, with 32 members present.

Kay Hobbs, the president, was in charge. The agent, Mrs. Dryman, discussed textile painting and making linens.

Songs were sung and the meeting dismissed until Jan. 18, the next meeting date.

Tigers Win Third Place In Waxa Basketball Meet

The Corsicana high school basketball team won third place in the Waxahachie Invitational tournament last Saturday night, defeating Cleburne, 44-39.

For the third straight time, high point honors went to a different player on the Tiger quintet. This time it was Bobby Galt, who bucketed 15 points as the Corsicans forged ahead in the last few minutes after the lead changed hands several times earlier in the game.

Kenneth Stegall was named "best sportsman" in the tourney, and received a cup award.

Sunset high school of Dallas won first place in the meet, defeating Waxahachie in the finals. Corsicana took third, and North Dallas took fourth, with a consolation victory over the Ennis high school team by one point in an extra period.

Urge Farmers To Save Cover Crops

Farmers are urged to keep the plow out of their winter cover crops in case rain should come within the next few days.

Members of the agricultural workers association arrived at this decision at their monthly meeting Thursday night in the Navarro Hotel.

Although disgusted with their legume crops, farmers still can be benefited through rain; moisture still can do a lot of good, it was reported.

Less than two inches of rain have fallen since the latter part of September, prompting agriculturalists to predict a serious loss of the vast Navarro county cover crops. A 50 per cent loss already has resulted, it is believed.

Agricultural workers were urged to impress the farmer to stay out of the field for the time being in hopes the drought will end.

The association's December meeting, featuring the Christmas theme, was highlighted by a musical talent show and singing of Christmas carols. Forty-three persons were present.

Kerens Again Is Featuring Santa

KERENS, Dec. 15.—(Spl.)—The Kerens Community Santa Claus is back this year, taller and better than last year when the huge St. Nick attracted nation-wide attention and publicity to this city.

Old Santa is one foot taller this season—43 feet—and is located in a chimney of 17x14 area on the ground and 24 feet high.

A new face has been installed and again a huge rope beard adorns Santa's chin.

Hundreds of Corsicans and other visitors saw the huge Santa last year, and a repetition of the strings of visiting cars is expected.

Santa is located at the same street intersection in the main thoroughfare here as in 1949.

Wm. W. Brown Rites At Dover

William Wesley Brown, 75, died at his home near Hubbard Saturday night. Funeral service were held from the Dover Methodist Church Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Surviving are his widow, Hubbard; five sons, Noel W. Brown, Irene; Dewey Brown, Hamlin; Elvis M. Brown, Frost; Voyne Brown, Waco; and Doyle Brown, Hubbard; four daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Goolsby, Waco; Mrs. Charlie Gaunt, Hubbard; Mrs. W. E. Peacock, Fort Worth; and Mrs. Roger Portwood, Fort Worth; 28 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

John Kenner Is With East Texas

COMMERCE, Dec. 15.—(Spl.)—John Kenner of Powell is a member of the 1950-51 basketball squad at East Texas State College. He is a returning letterman from last year's squad.

The East Texas Lions cagers, co-chairs of the Lone Star conference in 1950, will open their conference schedule January 8 against the Southwest Texas Bobcats, with whom they shared the crown last year.

Double Wedding Held At Powell

An impressive ceremony at 4 p. m. Friday at the Baptist parsonage at Powell united in marriage Miss Eva Nell Livingston and Harris Wilson Milner of Streetman, and Miss Jimmie Nell Whitley of Fairfield and Angus Kent McGilvary of Streetman.

The double wedding ceremony for both couples was read before an altar arrangement of ferns, ivy and other seasonal greenery, with the Rev. M. O. Southerland as officiant.

Miss Livingston wore a blue suit with matching accessories and a corsage of gardenias, and Miss Whitley chose a grey suit with matching accessories and a corsage of yellow carnations.

Miss Livingston is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Livingston of Streetman and Harris Wilson Milner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Milner of Streetman.

The parents of Miss Whitley are Mr. and Mrs. Whitley of Chaffield, and Angus Kent McGilvary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John McGilvary of Streetman.

Both couples will reside in Streetman following their wedding trips.

IN FORESTRY CLASS

HUNTSVILLE, Dec. 18.—(Spl.)—Alon Lee Gaines of Corsicana is a member of a class in Forestry at Sam Houston State College here which holds a majority of its class meetings in a few acres leased especially for it in the Walker county national forest preserve. Forest and soil conservation's newest methods are stressed.

FROST F.H.A.

Plans for the annual Christmas Formal, Dec. 21, at the Frost High gymnasium were made at the F. H. A. meeting December 6 in the Home Economics Building.

Miss Mertha Mitchell gave an interesting and informative demonstration on Christmas wrapping.

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Bob Thompsons Announce Twins

Former Corsicans, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson, who now reside in Houston, announce the arrival of twins, Terry Dan and Shari Diane, on Saturday, December 9th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McMichael of this city.

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